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PATENT
CASE NAME/NO.: SP01-339

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Inventor: Robert W. Sparrow

Serial No: 09/991,399

Filing Date: November 20, 2001

Title: Dispersion Management Optical
Lithography Crystals for Below 160nm
Optical Lithography and Method Thereof

Art Group Unit: 1754

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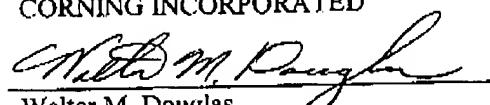
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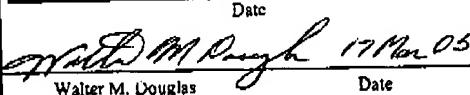
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